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RE: Application Serial No.: 10/724,826

Applicants: Jean-Thierry SIMONNET, et al.

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ESTERS OR ON SUGAR FATTY ETHERS AND ITS
USES IN THE COSMETICS, DERMATOLOGICAL
AND/OR OPHTHALMOLOGICAL FIELDS

Group Art Unit: 1617

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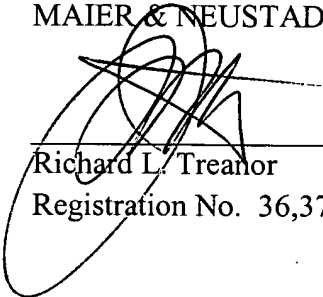
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Response to Requirement for Restriction.

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RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION

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In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed December 1, 2006, Applicants elect, with traverse, the subject matter of Group I (claims 25-43). In response to the Election of Species Requirement, Applicants elect, with traverse, the species of (1) glucose esters (surfactant); (2) disodium salt of N-stearoyl-L-glutamic acid (amphiphilic lipid); and (3) isocetyl stearate (oil). Of the non-withdrawn claims, claims 25-43 read on the elected species.

Remarks begin at page 2 of this paper.